

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: YASUO NISHI ET AL. )  
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For: LIQUID JETTING APPARATUS ) Confirmation No. 8797

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**AMENDMENT FILED WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

VIA EFS-Web  
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Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated September 20, 2006. Applicants hereby respectfully petition for a one-month extension of time. If there are any additional charges with respect to this Amendment or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130.